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William E. M. Jones et al.

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STANDBY VALVE-REGULATED
LEAD ACID CELLS**

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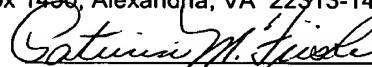
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REPLY TO ACTION OF 11/30/05

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This is in reply to the office action of 11/30/05.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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